

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

**Michael P. WALLACE**

**Serial No.: 10/669,543**

**Filed:** September 23, 2003

**For:** EXTERNAL ACTIVATION OF  
VASO-OCCLUSIVE IMPLANTS

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**Group Art Unit:** 3734

**Confirmation No.:** 4647

**Examiner:** Diane D. Yabut

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

**Mail Stop RCE**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In connection with the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) filed herewith and in response to the final office action mailed August 14, 2007, please consider the following amendments and remarks.

A complete **listing of the claims**, including current amendments, begins on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 7.